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[Despatch Abstract.]

**PUBLIC SERVICES - Provincial and Subordinate Services -
Substitution of term Harijans for Scheduled Castes and revised
revised communal representation General Rules - Amended.**

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

Abstract.

PUBLIC SERVICES - Provincial and Subordinate
Services - Substitution of term "Harijans" for "Scheduled
Castes" and revised communal representation - General
Rules - Amended.

PUBLIC (SERVICES) DEPARTMENT.

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Dated the 15th March 1948.

Read: G.O.No.850, Public (Services), dated 18-3-1947.
G.O.No.3437, Public (Services), dated 21-11-1947.

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ORDER:

The following notification will be published
in the Fort St. George Gazette:-

NOTIFICATION.

In exercise of the powers conferred by
section 241(2)(b) of the Government of India Act, 1935,
His Excellency the Governor of Madras hereby makes the
following amendments to the Madras Provincial and Sub-
ordinate Services Rules in Volume I of the Madras Services
Manual, 1946.

Amendments 3(a)(1) and 3(b) hereby made shall
be deemed to have come into force on the 21st November
1947.

AMENDMENTS.

In the said rules --

1. in Part I -

(a) in rule 2 -

(1) after clause (3-A), the following heading
and clause shall be inserted, namely:-

"BACKWARD HINDU

(3-B) 'Backward Hindu' means a member of any of the
communities, mentioned in Schedule III to this Part which
are Hindu".

(2) for clause (10), the following shall be substituted,
namely:-

"(10) 'Non-Brahman Hindu' includes every community
other than (i) the Brahman, the Muslim, the Anglo-Indian
Christian, and the Harijan and (ii) such of the Backward
Classes as are Hindu"

(3) for clause (15), the following clause shall be
substituted, namely:-

"(15) 'Harijan' means a member of any of the communities
mentioned in Schedule II to this Part";

(b) in Schedule II, for the heading 'Scheduled Castes' the heading 'Harijans' shall be substituted.

2. in Part II (General Rules)--

(1) In the proviso to sub-rule (a) of rule 4, for the words "belonging to a scheduled caste", the words "who is a Harijan and" shall be substituted

(2) In rule 10 (a) in clause (ii) of sub-rule (a), for the words "Scheduled castes and converts to Christianity from Scheduled Castes the words "Harijans and converts to Christianity from Harijans" shall be substituted.

(b) In clauses (i) and (ii) of sub-rule (d) for the words "belonging to any of the Scheduled Castes or the Backward classes" the words "who is a Harijan or who belongs to the Backward classes" shall be substituted;

3. In rule 19 --

(a) in sub rule (a) --

(1) in clause (i) for the entries occurring after the words "be made the following order, namely:--" the following entries shall be substituted, namely:-

"One Non-Brahman (Hindu)
One Harijan
One Backward Hindu
One Non-Brahman (Hindu)
One Brahman
One Non-Brahman (Hindu)
One Muslim
One Non-Brahman (Hindu)
One Anglo-Indian or Indian Christian
One Non-Brahman (Hindu)
One Harijan
One Non-Brahman (Hindu)
One Brahman
One Backward Hindu";

(2) for clause (iii), the following clause shall be substituted, namely:-

"(iii) If a qualified and suitable candidate belonging to any community is not available for appointment to any such service, class or category in the turn allotted to that community under clauses (i) and (ii), a qualified and suitable candidate belonging to the community next in the order specified in clause (i) shall, if available, be appointed, but the former community shall have a preferential claim for consideration when any subsequent appointment is to be made to such service class or category until a suitable and qualified candidate belonging to that community has been appointed or until the next turn allotted to that community is reached whichever happens first. If so such candidate has been appointed until the next turn is reached, the claim of that community in respect of the previous turn shall lapse".

(b) in clause (i) of sub rule (b), for the entries occurring after the words "in the proportion specified against each", the following ~~xxxx~~ entries shall be substituted, namely:-

"Non-Brahman (Hindus)	-	Six out of fourteen
Backward Hindus	-	Two out of fourteen
Brahmans	-	Two out of fourteen
Harijans	-	Two out of fourteen
Anglo-Indians and		
Indian Christians	-	Two out of fourteen
Muslims	-	One out of fourteen";

4. In the Schedule, in the Explanation to sub clause (1) of clause (a), for the words "Scheduled Castes" in both the places where they occur, the words "Harijan Communities" shall be substituted.

(BY ORDER OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR)

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